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- At a conference on 1 July 1949 between Chief of Police General Arturo Bertollo and President Peron, \* it was agreed that the Argentine Federal Police force would receive wage increases by 1 September 1949. If the raises are not granted by that date, a strike will be called.
- 2. The police have demanded an increase of 100 pesos a month, which would bring their total monthly salary to 500 pesos.\*\* The police demands also call for fewer duties and training classes and shorter working hours.
- 3. At present 800 vacancies exist in the police force which cannot be filled because of a lack of interested candidates.

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that a compromise of 430-450 pesos monthly will be offered and accepted.

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